


REMARKS

Claims 1-8 and 10-27 are pending in this application. Claim 9 has been canceled without prejudice or disclaimer of its subject matter. The Applicant appreciates the Examiner's indication of allowance concerning claims 1 through 8 and 10 through 27.

In view of the foregoing amendments and remarks, all claims are deemed to be allowable and this application is believed to be in condition to be passed to issue. If there are any questions, the examiner is asked to contact the applicant's attorney.

No fee is incurred by this Amendment. Should there be a deficiency in payment, or should other fees be incurred, the Commissioner is authorized to charge Deposit Account No. 02-4943 of Applicant's undersigned attorney in the amount of such fees.

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